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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Reply to an Office Action dated December 27, 2007.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to deposit Account No. 50-0725.

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